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Enclosed for filing is the patent application of Inventor:  
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**FOR:** CIRCUIT ARRANGEMENT AND METHOD OF PROTECTING AT LEAST A CHIP  
ARRANGEMENT FROM MANIPULATION AND/OR ABUSE

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- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and copies of documents listed therein;
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- ☒ Specification (16 Pages of Specification, Claims, & Abstract);
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney:  
(2 Pages of a [ ]fully executed [X]unsigned Declaration);
- ☒ Drawing (4 Sheets of [ ]informal [X]formal sheet);
- ☒ Certified copy of German Application No. 10101995.5
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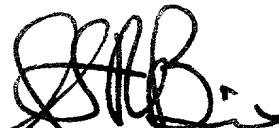
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